GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH ABSTRACT

ELECTIONS –Elections to the A.P. Legislative Council from Hyderabad and Ranga Reddy Local Authorities' Constituencies – Notification under Section 15A of the Representation of the People Act 1951 (43 of 1951) by the Governor of Andhra Pradesh – Published.

GENERAL ADMINISTRATION (ELECS.F) DEPARTMENT

G.O.Ms.No. 176

Dated: 12th April, 2010

Read:-

From the Election Commission of India Lr. No.322/AP-LC/1/2010-CC&BE, Dt.06.04.2010.

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ORDER:

The following notification shall be published in an extraordinary issue of the Andhra Pradesh Gazette, dated 13th April, 2010 / Chaitra 23, 1932 (Saka):

NOTIFICATION

WHEREAS, the Andhra Pradesh Legislative Council Act, 2005 was passed on 11th January, 2006, for the constitution of a new Legislative Council in the State of Andhra Pradesh comprising of 90 members – 31 to be elected by the Members of Legislative Assembly, 31 from Local Authorities', 8 from Graduates', and 8 from Teachers' Constituencies and 12 nominated members; and

WHEREAS, the elections to the Andhra Pradesh Legislative Council for 75 seats out of 78 seats to be filled by election were held in the year 2007; and

WHEREAS, the elections to the Andhra Pradesh Legislative Council for remaining 3 seats, namely, 2 (two) seats from Hyderabad Local Authorities' Constituency and 1 (one) seat from Ranga Reddy Local Authorities' Constituency, could not be conducted due to non-existence of the required number of Local Bodies / electors constituting the electorates in those Constituencies; and

WHEREAS, the required number of Local Bodies and the electors of Hyderabad Local Authorities' and Ranga Reddy Local Authorities' Constituencies are now in position at present;

NOW, THEREFORE, as recommended by the Election Commission of India in pursuance of section 15A of the Representation of the People Act, 1951 (43 of 1951), as amended by the Andhra Pradesh Legislative Council Act, 2005, the Governor of the State of Andhra Pradesh is hereby pleased to call upon each of the said Council Constituencies, specified in column (1) of the TABLE below, to elect the number of members, specified against that Constituency in column (2) of the said Table, to the Legislative Council of the State, for the purpose of filling the above seats, in accordance with the provisions of the said Act and of the rules and orders made thereunder.

TABLE

Name of Constituency	No. of Members to be elected
(1)	(2)
Hyderabad Local Authorities' Constituency	2
2. Ranga Reddy Local Authorities' Constituency	1

Further, since the elections to fill these three seats are part of the election for the initial constitution of the State Legislative Council, the Governor of Andhra Pradesh has been pleased to give his concurrence under Section 156(1) of the Representation of the People Act, 1951 that, after the elections to fill these three seats, the terms of members so elected shall be determined, by draw of lots, in the following manner, so as to synchronise with the cycles of biennial retirement of 23 Members belonging to the Local Authorities' Constituencies elected in 2007 whose terms of office started from 2nd May, 2007 under Section 157 of the said Act:-

- (i) the term of one Member will be from the date of the notification under Section 74 of the Representation of the People Act, 1951 and till 1st May, 2011
- (ii) the term of second Member will be from the date of the notification under Section 74 of the Representation of the People Act, 1951 and till 1st May, 2013
- (iii) the term of third Member will be from the date of the notification under Section 74 of the Representation of the People Act, 1951 and till 1st May, 2015.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

By order,

E.S.L.NARASIMHAN, GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH

I.V.SUBBA RAO, CHIEF ELECTORAL OFFICER & E.O. PRL.SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

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Copy to Collector & District Election Officer, Ranga Reddy District.

Copy to the Returning Officer of Ranga Reddy Local Authorities' Constituencies, **through** Dist. Collector & DEO., Ranga Reddy.

//Forwarded :: By Order//